## **Testimony in OPPOSITION of HB 6355**. AN ACT CONCERNING RISK PROTECTION ORDERS OR WARRANTS.

Dear Chairmen and Members

This testimony is in opposition to this bill, in that the point that existing laws, red flag laws and restraining orders available to law enforcement, judicial members and especially to those that feel threatened or perceive possible dangers all have ample opportunity to use existing mechanisms with the law enforcement and judicial systems.

This bill only serves to INFRINGE further our 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment rights. Angry or disgruntled family members, friends, neighbors can misuse this bill to cause untold levels of judicial harassment and potential financial costs to gun owners. The current processes in obtaining carry permits, purchasing guns AND ammunition are extreme in Connecticut. This bill seems to only remove ALL guns from <u>law abiding citizens</u> and further INFRINGE which you SHALL NOT do.

Vote -*NO* Thank you. Citizen of Middletown, CT 06457 Rogers T Pylant